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Subject: **REQUEST FOR REFUND TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT**
Deposit Account No. 14-1140
Statement Date: July 10, 2006
Date Posted: June 27, 2006
Seq: ; Posting Ref Text:
Confirmation No.: 2644
Fee Code: 1806; \$180.00
Our Ref.: 829-619

To whom it may concern:

Regarding the Monthly Statement of Deposit Account dated July 10, 2006 (copy attached), we believe there is a fee related error therein, which has resulted in a charge to our Deposit Account that appears to be unwarranted. Please refer to the following explanation and issue a refund as soon as possible.

An IDS was filed on June 20, 2006. However, no boxes were checked on the IDS indicating that a fee was being filed therewith, and the box for authorization to be charged to Deposit Account was not checked either (see attached copy of IDS filed 6/20/2006). Therefore, no charged should have been charged to the above-identified Deposit Account. A refund is therefore requested in the amount of \$180.00 to the above-identified Deposit Account.

Thank you for your time and assistance, and if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at the above number.

Very truly yours,

NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C.

By: 

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Deposit Account Statement



06/23 498	10169253	3688-6	AMK 1504	\$300.00	\$25,825.98
06/23 499	10169253	3688-6	8001	\$6.00	\$25,819.98
06/23 1367	78915168	797-657	PAR 7001	\$1,300.00	\$24,519.98
06/23 1487	78915168	797-660	PAR 7001	\$1,300.00	\$23,219.98
06/26 73	11328095	2635-335	LSN/1464	\$130.00	\$23,089.98
06/26 2608	78916779	2-434	DAB 7001	\$325.00	\$22,764.98
06/27 1	10735621	JAR	829-619	\$180.00	\$22,584.98
06/27 2	90007369	CC	925-205PX 1463	\$200.00	\$22,384.98
06/27 4	11046227	WFG	4380-167 2253	\$510.00	\$21,874.98
06/27 13	11230650	716-9	MJK 1464	\$130.00	\$21,744.98
06/27 486	6055711	11-1513/BHD	8021	\$40.00	\$21,704.98
06/28 1	11390239	PTB	4398-528 1202	\$1,000.00	\$20,704.98
06/28 312	8053711	11-1513/BHD	8021	\$40.00	\$20,664.98
06/29 1	10124723	HWB	2380-568 1202	\$50.00	\$20,614.98
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06/29 57	10539632	1487-27	BJ 9204	-\$40.00	\$20,694.98
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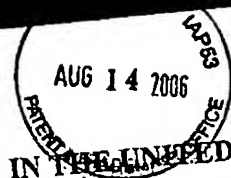
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In re Patent Application of

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Serial-No. 10/735,621

Filed: December 16, 2003

For: PLASMA CVD APPARATUS, AND METHOD FOR
FORMING FIL AND METHOD FOR FORMING
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE USING THE SAME

Atty. Ref.: 829-619

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